Lord Randolph Churchill.

The resignation of Lord Randolph Churchill from the position of Chancellor of the Exchequer, Jan. 20, caused much wonderment in London and on the American continent. He was appointed in July last to this high position, which according to usage, carries with it the leadership of the party in the House of Commons. Gladstone and Disraeli both accepted the chancellorship in their youth. It is rumored that the cause of his resignation is due to his being mixed up with the Brooke divorce case, which is said to be one of the ripest additions to the crop of the great scandals of the time, and that his wife will leave him and return to America. Lady Churchill is, without exception, the most popular woman in England. She is naturally much cast down at his sudden resignation and retirement from public life, when he had so many opportunities to fame held within his grasp. She had worked very hard to popularise him and forward his ends.

General News.

Over 223,060 cubic yards of limestone and slate rock has fallen out of the bank of Niagara River, near Horseshoe Falls, on the Canada side. The mass fell with a tremendous crash, which was heard and felt for miles around. The break has considerably changed the appearance of the bank, and now the dark chasm can be seen behind the Falls from the bank above.

The mass of rock which fell was 60 feet wide by over 100 long and 170 feet deep. Its fall from the main rock has left a perpendicular wall. The tremendous weight of ice which has accumulated during the past three weeks, with the steady frosty weather and low water, was the cause of the break.

An Indiana farmer is quoted by the Indianapolis Journal as saying: "A young lady who was watching my binding harvester at work fell upon the table, and was carried up with the grain. As the girl was about the size of a bundle, the machine did not recognize the difference, and so she came through with a neat little string around her waist. One of the harvest hands caught her as the machine sent her out, and set her on the ground right side up, when it was found that she had been more frightened than hurt.

There are twenty-seven peaks in Nevada exceeding 10,000 feet in height.

Sioux Falls, D. T., intends having an ice palace and carnival next winter.

There are numerous Masonic lodges in France composed exclusively of women.

There is not over six pounds of waste to the largest ox now killed at a Chicago packing house.

A boy, fifteen years old, who was a witness in the York County, (Pa.) court recently, admitted that he had never seen a Bible nor heard of God.

Aged One Hundred and Twenty-Six—News is received of the death of Henry Myers at his home in Prairie Greig, Vermillion Parish, La. He was one of the oldest men in the word, one hundred and twenty-six years. He was born in Holland and came to this country in his youth. His son-in-law, Mr. Primeau, vouches for the accuracy in the record of age. He has documentary proof. Mr. Myers was baptized Aug. 31, 1760. Another certificate shows that he took his first communion in 1775.

At a late hour tonight it is announced by the father and mother of Miss Van Zandt that she has been induced to cancel her engagement to marry August Spies, and that the wedding is off altogether. Spies is a Chicago Anarchist condemned for murder, and the lady was determined to marry him while in prison.

Great snow storms visited Russia and Italy recently.

An effort is being made to secure the submission of a Prohibitory amendment in Missouri.

An express train was lately robbed near Gordon, Texas. The robbers captured the engineer and fireman, and made them walk in front to the express car.

A band of Pinkerton detectives from Chicago now engaged in Jersey City shot a boy who was throwing snowballs and cinders at them last week.

The coal strike, in New York City alone, costs the poor who buy coal by the pail, more than $5,000 a day.

The rumors of war continue to come in from the old country.

Mrs. Mary Atkin of Putnam county claims to be the oldest woman in Indiana. She has just celebrated her 102nd birthday, is vigorous and happy, with undimmed eyesight and unimpaired memory. She spends much of the time knitting.

An Indianapolis family were troubled with diphtheria for several weeks. During the illness of the children they played much with a pet parrot, which they handled considerably. After they got well the bird became ill, and in a few days died, showing all symptoms of diphtheria.

The original baptismal certificate in the possession of the family of Henry Meyers, who recently died in New Orleans, shows that he was born Aug. 31, 1760. He came to this country in his early manhood from Holland. Another ancient certificate says Henry Meyers was admitted to his first communion in 1775.

An ice gorge carried away a part of the railroad bridge at Toledo, Ohio, on the 24th.

An uducational institution is to be founded at Worcester, Mass., to be known as Clark University, endowed by Mr. Jonas G. Clark with $1,000,000.

J. V. Farwell, one of the millionaires of Chicago, takes the vacant chair in the Senate of Senator Logan.

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The city is crowded with strangers, and sometimes it is quite difficult to get lodging. San Diego is the seaport of the southern coast just as San Francisco is the seaport of the central and northern coast of Cal. Our harbor is the natural outlet for a vast interior country, which they say is rich in agricultural and mineral resources. We have in this place churches representing nearly all the various denominations. And while there is a great many people here who have little or no regard for the Sabbath day but hunt and fish all day, and some do work. We have as a general thing a very nice social, warm hearted class of people, and you won't see as much drunkenness here according to the population as in Ashland.

Nor are we far behind on the great question of Prohibition. And we are glad we can sound the trumpet back from the Pacific across the continent, 'tis coming, coming, coming. I know they say we are loosing our vote. Loosing it just like Joshua and the Israelites lost there walk around that great city of Jericho. When they had walked around the proper number of times down the walls came, and they utterly destroyed the city. So it will be when we have voted on this question the proper number of time, down the massive walls of intemperance will tumble. And we will utterly destroy the traffic. We will close.

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Chicago's Drink Bill.

Chicago, Dec. 27. One of the brewers of this city has lately given to the Freie-Presse some interesting facts in reference to the extent of beer-drinking here, upon which can be based a fairly reliable estimate of the cost of the traffic to the consumers, who are, in the large majority of cases, wage-earners and people of small means. The brewer states that the quantity of beer sold annually to the city of Chicago is 1,560,000 barrels, or 624,000,000 glasses, reckoning 400 glasses to the barrel. (The Milwaukee brewers represented here are alone said to sell 572,000 barrels, or more than one-third the entire amount.) Reckoning Chicago's population at 700,000, this gives over 890 glasses a year for every man, woman and child in the city.

The cost to the consumers of these millions of glasses of beer is about $31,200,000 for the whole city and the stranger that is within its gates! The estimate of 890 glasses per individual means an average annual expenditure of $44.50 for each man, woman and child.—Voice.

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